

**BUSINESS REPORT**

**MONTANA SENATE  
61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

**SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE**

**Date:** Thursday, January 15, 2009  
**Place:** Capitol

**Time:** 9:00 pm  
**Room:** 303

**BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:**

SB 92, SB 121, SB 160

**EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:**

SB 139-Do Pass, SB 157-Do Pass As Amended

**COMMENTS:**

  
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SEN. Gary D. Perry, Chairman

**MONTANA STATE SENATE**  
**Roll Call**  
**JUDICIARY COMMITTEE**

DATE: 1/15/29

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT/ EXCUSED</u>
SENATOR GARY PERRY, CHAIRMAN	✓	
SENATOR JIM SHOCKLEY, VICE CHAIRMAN	✓	
SENATOR AUBYN CURTISS	✓	
SENATOR JOHN ESP	✓	
SENATOR GREG HINKLE	✓	
SENATOR LARRY JENT	✓	
SENATOR CAROL JUNEAU		✓
SENATOR CLIFF LARSEN	✓	
SENATOR JESSE LASLOVICH	✓	
SENATOR DANIEL MCGEE	✓	
SENATOR LYNDY MOSS	✓	
SENATOR TERRY MURPHY	✓	



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Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **Senate Bill 157** (first reading copy -- white) do pass as amended.

Signed:

  
Senator Gary L. Perry, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 6.

**Following:** "COMMUNICATIONS"

**Insert:** "IN INITIAL HEARINGS"

**Following:** "COMMITMENT"

**Strike:** "PURPOSES"

2. Page 2, line 8 through line 10.

**Strike:** subsection (5) in its entirety

**Insert:** "(5) A two-way electronic audio-video communication may not be used:

(a) in an initial hearing provided for in 53-21-122 if the professional person objects; or

(b) in a hearing referred to in subsections (3)(b) through (3)(g) if a respondent or patient, the respondent's or patient's counsel, or the professional person objects."


- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 12, No 0

Fiscal Note Required \_\_\_\_

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Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **Senate Bill 139** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass.**

Signed:

  
Senator Gary L. Perry, Chair

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 12, No 0

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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# AUTHORIZED SENATE COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from SEN. JUDICIARY Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Sen. Perry

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

SB 157 Amend	✓	
SB 157D Puzos Amend	✓	
SB 139 Dotz	✓	

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO


Sen. Dan McFee  
(Signature)

Date 1-5-09

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**Visitors Register**

**Judiciary Committee**

**Date** 4/15/09

**Bill No.** SB121 **Sponsor(s)** Sen. Jent

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<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Representing</b>	<b>Support</b>	<b>Oppose</b>	<b>Inf.</b>
Jim Scheier	Comm. Pol. Pract			X

**Please leave prepared testimony with Secretary. Witness Statement forms are available if you care to submit written testimony.**

**MONTANA STATE SENATE**  
**Visitors Register**

**Judiciary Committee**

**Date** 1/15/09

**Bill No.** SB160 **Sponsor(s)** Sen. Jent

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Name and Address	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inf.
Mr. Boringdon	AG's office	X		

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Date 1/15/09

Bill No. SB92 Sponsor(s) Sen. Jent

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Name and Address	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inf.
Jim Caspew	MSPOA	✓		
Hal Harper	Gov Office	✓		
Jim Smith	Sheriffs / County Atty	✓		
David Castle	Sheriff Cascade Co.	✓		
C.B. Conlusion	CCSO	✓		
Mike Batsa	Dept of Justice	✓		
Sam Buel	MACOP / MPPA	✓		
Jane LeHerman	Citizens	✓		
MARK MARPILL	YCAD	✓		
<del>Kim Barrett</del>				

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